

THE SPOT to discover what the Heart of Illinois Special Recreation Association has in store this season!

## Who We Are...

Heart of Illinois Special Recreation Association (HISRA) is a cooperative extension of the Morton, Peoria, Chillicothe and Washington Park Districts providing quality recreation programming and inclusion services.

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# Introducing HISRA's New Texting Service!

Would you like to receive text notifications on programming updates? Please see page 10 for details on how to sign up!

# SUMMER 2017 Registration Opens April 18, 2017

Registrations will not be processed prior to this date



## HEART OF ILLINOIS SPECIAL RECREATION ASSOCIATION

8727 N. Pioneer Rd. • Peoria, IL 61615 Business Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8:30 am-12:00 pm & 1:00-4:30 pm; Friday, 8:30-12:00 pm *Closed 5/29, 7/4 and 9/4* 

HISRA is the result of a desire on the part of four park districts to provide quality recreation programs and services to individuals with disabilities and special needs. HISRA and its member districts enthusiastically support the spirit and intent of the Americans with Disabilities Act. HISRA is committed to providing opportunities for each individual to enjoy recreation activities in the least restrictive environment possible.

## **INCLUSION SERVICES**

Is there a Chillicothe, Morton Peoria or Washington Park District program you would like to participate in, but wonder if you might need some assistance from HISRA? Visit our website and fill out an Inclusion Request Form. We will assess the participant or athlete, contact the park district staff in regards to the program and provide assistance as appropriate!



Come FOCUS on fun with friends! This program is for adults 18 years and older looking for an active way to spend their weekday. The group meets Monday through Thursday from 9AM to 3PM. Throughout the week we will enjoy grocery shopping, cooking, volunteering, exercising at the RiverPlex, exploring the surrounding communities, socializing with friends, playing games, and having fun! The program will meet daily at HISRA. However, Tuesday provides a drop off and pick up option at Shore Acres in Chillicothe and Thursday has a drop off and pick up option at Morton Freedom Hall. Some eligibility requirements do exist because of the level of activity.

#### **FOCUS Registration Information**

You are able to register for just one day a week or up to all four. The days you register for will be the days the participant attends FOCUS for the duration of the year. Based on program availability, registration can occur at anytime.\* However, annual priority registration is given to participants currently enrolled in FOCUS. This annual priority registration occurs at the beginning of each calendar year. In order to withdraw from FOCUS, a 30-day notice is required. Any withdrawal request will be processed and take effect the first program day of the month after the 30 days.

#### **FOCUS Payment Information**

A payment plan will be crafted for each participant based on the number of days for which he or she is registered. Payment for the month is due on the first business day of that month. A \$100 non-refundable down payment is required at the time of registration and will be applied to your first month's bill. The fees for FOCUS are \$37/day for residents and \$47/day for non-residents.

\*Please note that as of April 2017, there are only openings on Thursday in FOCUS. Please contact HISRA to see if there have been any changes.



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## **CENTER BASED PROGRAMS**

#### **Parents Night Out**

#### Ages 2+

Parents - are you ready to enjoy some relaxation on a night without the kids? Parents Night Out is the program for you! All children in the family are welcome to attend while we play fun games, eat a delicious dinner together, take part in arts and crafts and wind down with a movie. Parents can drop off and pick up anytime between 5:00 and 10:00 pm, but register soon because space is limited!

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by	
78899	Sa:5/6	5-10:00pm	\$27/\$37/\$10	4/21	
78900	F:6/23	5-10:00pm	\$27/\$37/\$10	6/9	
78901	Sa:7/22	5-10:00pm	\$27/\$37/\$10	7/7	
78902	F:8/25	5-10:00pm	\$27/\$37/\$10	8/11	

#### Summer Kick Off Dance 🛱

## Ages 15+

Grab your dancing shoes and head over to HISRA to boogie the night away at the 2017 Summer Kick Off Dance! Enjoy a night full of fun with friends! Don't forget to eat dinner before you hit the dance floor, but enjoy our themed snacks and refreshments!

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78918	F:5/12	7:00-9:00pm	\$12/\$15	4/28



this night out just for the guys! **Code Day-Date Time** 78873 Sa:6/3 6:00-9:00pm Guys Game Night Ages 15+ Basketballs, soccer balls,

footballs and Frisbees... Guys Game Night starts off with games galore! But that's not all - we will wind down and make some delicious snacks such as wings and mozzarella sticks while you watch a movie on our projector screen. You won't want to miss

Fee-R/NRReg. by\$27/\$375/19



## Ice Cream Social 🚍 🛛 Ages 15+

Here's the SCOOP! You are invited to the HISRA Ice Cream Social! HISRA's ice cream bar is open for service and we would like you to join us for a sweet treat... pretty please with a cherry on top! **Code** 78895

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## Diva Night झ Ages 15+

Looking to get pampered for the night? Diva night is just for the ladies! This program includes manicures, facial masks, relaxing music and good company here at HISRA. Don't forget to eat dinner before you come, but some snacks will be provided.



Remember to register early because spots will fill up fast!CodeDay-DateTimeFee-R/NRReg. by78854Sa: 7/296:00-9:00pm\$22/\$287/14

## HISRA Backyard BBQ 🚍

#### Ages 15+

HISRA invites you to come GRILL & CHILL at our annual Backyard BBQ! Join us to celebrate another great summer spent with HISRA as we fire up our grill for an evening full of food, fun and friends!

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg.by
78885	F: 8/18	6:00-9:30pm	\$22/\$28	8/4





## HISRA Peoria Chiefs Game 🛱

Ages 19+

Batter up! HISRA will root, root, root for the Peoria Chiefs twice this summer! For HISRA to give everyone a chance to 'take them out to the ball game' we must limit registration to 1 of the 2 events. Don't forget to eat dinner before the first pitch and feel free to bring along money for peanuts and Cracker Jacks! The end time of this program will be based on the length of the game. Please be aware that BOTH events will include a post-game firework show! HISRA staff will call parents/guardians with a specific pick up time towards the end of the program.

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78892	F:5/19	5:30pm-TBD	\$30/\$40	5/5
78893	Sa:7/15	5:30pm-TBD	\$30/\$40	6/30



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## Pizza & Bowling ₽ ∑ Ages 19+

SPARE some time this summer to let the good times ROLL with HISRA! Join us as we kick off our night with eating pizza, which will then be followed by bowling and enjoying some ice cream! To ensure everyone a portion of fun this summer, we must limit registration to 1 of the 3 events.



Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78903	F: 5/20	6:00-9:30pm	\$35/\$45	5/5
78904	Sa:6/17	6:00-9:30pm	\$35/\$45	6/2
78905	Sa:7/8	6:00-9:30pm	\$35/\$45	6/23

## Backstroke & Burgers 🚍 💈



What better way to enjoy your summer than having a cook out by the pool? Grab your suit and join us as we load up the van and head to Shore Acres. Participants can swim all afternoon

and then relax under the pavilion while we grill burgers and hot dogs.

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78845	Sa: 6/24	10am-2:00pm	\$25/\$32	6/9

## Corn Stock Theatre 🚍

Ages 19+

Ages 15+

Join us for the showing of *Bye Bye Birdie* at Bradley Park's Corn Stock Theatre! Dinner will not be provided so make sure you eat up before you arrive. Feel free to bring money for concessions during intermission!

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78850	F: 7/14	6:30-10:30pm	\$35/\$45	6/30



## Friday at 4th and Goal Grill 🚍

Ages 15+

Do you like pizza, wings and burgers? We sure do! Join us for some delicious food along with good company in a fun atmosphere. HISRA will be spending our Friday night at 4th and Goal Grill in Washington. Dinner is included in the cost of the program.

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78846	F: 7/21	6:00-9:30pm	\$25/\$32	7/7

## Galesburg Balloon Race 🛱

## Ages 19+

Time FLIES when you're having fun! Join HISRA as we visit the 17th Annual Galesburg Balloon Race! The night will be spent enjoying arts and crafts, concessions and viewing luminary hot air balloons as they float over Lake Storey! Please make sure to eat dinner before we lift off but leave room for a snack provided by HISRA!

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78871	F:7/28	6:00-10:30pm	\$35/\$45	7/14





#### Pottery & Treats 🚍 Ages 15+

Explore your creative side at Fired Up in Peoria Heights! Afterwards we'll give our minds a break and get some ice cream from Emack and Bolio's. Join us for this night of fun!

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78907	F:8/11	6:00-9:00pm	\$25/\$32	7/28

## Mini Golf & Ice Cream 🚍 Ages 19+

Show off your golf skills this evening playing putt-putt at Magic Dragon Golf at Mineral



Springs in Pekin. Concessions will be available for all participants but make sure you eat dinner beforehand.

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by
78897	Sa:8/12	6:00-9:00pm	\$30/\$38	7/28

## Riverfront Market Day Trip 🚍

Ages 19+

You can't 'BEET' a good Farmers Market! Stay 'LOCAL' with HISRA as we stroll down Water Street visiting local produce, flower and craft vendors. The group will also experience live music and vendor demonstrations, while enjoying a snack, HISRA's 'treat'! Please bring along spending money to support local vendors by bring a piece of the market home with you!



the market nome with you:					
Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR	Reg. by	
78872	Sa:8/19	1:00-4:00pm	\$25/\$30	8/4	

## Hooked on Fishing 🚍

Ages 15+

Calling all fishermen... this program is for you! HISRA will be taking a group of participants down to Hooked on Fishing in East Peoria in hopes of some big catches! There is no need to bring your own pole, bobber, or bait; their facility will provide it all. Spots will fill up fast so be sure to sign up! Code Dav-Date Time Fee-R/NR Reg. by

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78894	Sa:8/26	1:00-4:00pm	\$20/\$25	8/11
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## Special Olympics Golf 💈

Ages 8+

**Special** Olympics

FORE! Whether you are an experienced golfer or just beginning- there is a spot for you in HISRA's Special Olympics Golf program! This program offers an opportunity for those new to the sport to learn the fundamentals of golf - such as the rules, etiquette, clubs, and shots. Golfers will be provided instruction and coaching from the Peoria Park District's PGA professionals leading up to competition if the athlete is eligible and wishes to participate. Golf practice will be held at the Golf Learning Center for Skills athletes and Kellogg Golf Course for those participating in course play.

- Registration deadline: 4/19•
- Pre-season meeting at HISRA: 5/3
- Practice begins: 5/10
- Med apps due: 5/17
- Golf Qualifier @ Edwardsville, IL Oak Brook Golf Club: 8/4

#### **Course Play**

<b>Code</b> 78911	<b>Day-Date</b> W:5/10-8/2	<i>Time</i> 5:30-7:30pm	<b>Fee-R/NR</b> \$80/\$100			
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Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR			
78912	W:5/10-8/2	5:30-7:30pm	\$40			

#### **Special Olympics Golf Skills**

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR
78913	W:5/10-8/2	5:00-5:45pm	\$80/\$100

Practice will continue for those who qualified for the State Competition (additional fees apply) from 8/9-9/6.

#### **Practice for State Competition**

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR
778914	W:8/9-9/6	5:30-7:30pm	\$20/\$25
• Out	door Sports Fe	stival @ Decatur, II	Hickory Point

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Golf Course: 9/9 – 9/10



#### Ages 8+ Special Olympics Bowling 💈

Bowl a strike with HISRA's competitive Special Olympics Bowling team! Under the instruction of coaches and volunteers you will learn the fundamentals of bowling at our fun and interactive practices. Practices will be held on Monday nights from 5:30PM-7:00PM at Landmark Lanes in Peoria.

- Registration deadline: 6/5
- First practice: 6/19
- Med apps due: 6/26
- Must have 10 score game average by: 7/24
- Area Competition @ Landmark Lanes: 8/26

#### **Regular Season**

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR
78908	M:6/19-8/21	5:30-7:00pm	\$60/\$75

Practice will continue for those who qualified for the Sectional Competition (additional fees apply) from 9/11 - 10/9.

#### **Practice for Sectional Competition**

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR
78909	M:9/11-10/9	5:30-7:00PM	\$20/\$25
• Sect	tional Competiti	on @ Landmark L	anes: 10/14/17
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Practice will continue for those who qualified for the State Competition (additional fees apply) from 10/23 - 11/27.

#### **Practice for State Competition**

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR
78910	M:10/23-11/27	5:30-7:00PM	\$20/\$25
• Stat	e Competition @ L	andmark Lanes:	12/2/17
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## Special Olympics Softball 💈

## Ages 8+

Batter Up! Whether you are familiar with the game of softball or want to knock it out of the park for the first time there is a spot for you in HISRA's Special Olympics Softball program! This program offers an opportunity for those new to the sport to learn the fundamental skills and rules of softball. Those interested in team play will experience instruction and practice time with knowledgeable coaches and volunteers. Competition will be available to athletes who are eligible and which to participate. Softball practice will be held at Glen Oak Park on Tuesday nights.

- Registration Deadline: 5/2
- Practice Begins: 5/16
- Med Apps Due: 5/23
- District Competition @ Springfield, IL Land of Lincoln Softball Complex: 7/29

#### **Regular Season**

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR		
78915	Tu:5/16-7/25	5:30pm-TBD	\$40/\$50		
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the	State Competitio	n (additional fee	s apply) from		
8/1	-9/5.				

#### **Practice for State Competition**

**HISRA Health Club** 

Code	Day-Date	Time	Fee-R/NR
78917	Tu:8/1-9/5	5:30pm-TBD	\$20/\$25
• Out	door Sports Fes	tival @ Decatur. IL	Rotary Park:

- 9/9 9/10.
- There will be no softball practice 7/4.

Ages 15+

Go the extra mile and feel the burn at HISRA Health Club! Spend 6 weeks as we walk, spin and lift ourselves to a healthier lifestyle! This program will meet weekly at the Peoria RiverPlex and is led by PPD Certified Personal Trainers. We welcome participants who are experienced in various forms of exercise as well as those who are just starting out!

Code **Day-Date** Time Reg. by Fee-R/NR 78891 Th: 5/4-6/8 5:30-6:30pm \$55/\$70 4/20









## WHAT DO THOSE SYMBOLS MEAN?

Symbols may appear next to some of our programs, indicating participants should be aware of the following:

#### 📮 = Transportation

If you see this symbol, it indicates that transporation is provided for residents of our member districts for this program to and from:

- Chillicothe (Shore Acres Park)
- Morton (Morton Freedom Hall)
- Washington (St. Clare's Crossing)

Please be sure to request this when registering.

## 🔀 = Consult Physician

Individuals with Down Syndrome are at risk of having a condition known as **Atlanto-Axial Subluxation**. Please consult your physician prior to participation in programs marked with the symbol.

#### R/NR = Resident/Non-Resident Rates

**R** refers to the rate residents of our member park districts pay for participation in a program while **NR** refers to the rate non-residents will pay.



## Here's what you need to know!

#### Forms Needed

The following forms need to be completed to process your registration:

- 1. Current Registration Form (filled out front and back)
- 2. Current Annual Information Form and other applicable forms
- 3. One of the following:
  - Full payment
  - Payment Plan (for balances more than \$200)
  - Scholarship application with 10% down payment

While our Registration Form can be found in this brochure, (see pages 9-10) all other forms regarding registration can be found on our website!

- 1. Go to www.hisra.org.
- 2. Click on the "Forms & Downloads" tab
- 3. Click the red link to fill out forms electronically
- 4. Click the "Register" tab to create an account with us and fill out and submit all applicable forms

If you already have an account, please be sure to log in and resubmit all applicable forms if you haven't yet for 2017!

#### Reminders

- Registrations will to be processed beginning April 18, 2017 at 8:30 am at the HISRA office. Participants will be registered for programs in the order in which we receive their registrations.
- Walk-in registrations on the opening day of registration for the season will receive priority over any registrations received prior to that day.
- Registrations are accepted via email at hisra@peoriaparks. org, via mail at 8727 N. Pioneer Road, Peoria, IL 61615, and via fax at (309) 691-4383.
- The registration deadline for all programs is 2 weeks prior to the start date of the program.
- To cancel your registration for a program, 2 weeks notice is needed in order to process a refund for your account.

For other questions regarding registration, please email abusler@peoriaparks.org or call our office at (309) 691-1929!

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#### Name of Participant:\_

Please "X" those programs you would like to register for:

## NOTE: HISRA'S NEW TRANSPORTATION POLICY

HISRA participants who request member district transportation for programming may only do so if the participant rides with HISRA **to AND from the member district**. We will no longer be able to accommodate participants who need rides only one way to or from HISRA.

X	Title	Code	Dates	Fee-R/NR (CIRCLE)	Transportation? (CIRCLE)
CEN	TER BASED PROGRAMS				
	Parents Night Out #1	78899	5/6	\$27/\$37/Sibling \$10	N/A
	Summer Kick Off Dance	78918	5/12	\$12/\$15	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Guys Game Night	78873	6/3	\$27/\$37	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Ice Cream Social	78895	6/16	\$15/\$20	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Parents Night Out #2	78900	6/23	\$27/\$37/Sibling \$10	N/A
	Parents Night Out #3	78901	7/22	\$27/\$37/Sibling \$10	N/A
	Diva Night	78854	7/29	\$22/\$28	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Backyard BBQ	78885	8/18	\$22/\$28	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Parents Night Out #4	78902	8/25	\$27/\$37/Sibling \$10	N/A
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	Peoria Chiefs Game #1	78892	5/19	\$30/\$40	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Pizza & Bowling #1	78903	5/20	\$35/\$45	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Pizza & Bowling #2	78904	6/17	\$35/\$45	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Backstrokes & Burgers	78845	6/24	\$25/\$32	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Pizza & Bowling #3	78905	7/8	\$35/\$45	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Corn Stock Theatre	78850	7/14	\$35/\$45	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Peoria Chiefs Game #2	78893	7/15	\$30/\$40	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Friday at 4th and Goal	78846	7/21	\$25/\$32	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Galesburg Balloon Race	78871	7/28	\$35/\$45	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Pottery & Treats	78907	8/11	\$25/\$32	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Mini Golf & Ice Cream	78897	8/12	\$30/\$38	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Riverfront Market Day Trip	78872	8/19	\$25/\$30	Morton Chillicothe Washington
	Hooked on Fishing	78894	8/26	\$20/\$25	Morton Chillicothe Washington
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	Special Olympics Golf	78911	Begins 5/10	\$80/\$100	N/A
	Special Olympics Golf Unified Partner	78912	Begins 5/10	\$40	N/A
	Special Olympics Golf Skills	78913	Begins 5/10	\$80/\$100	N/A
	Golf – Course Play	71897	begins 5/4	\$80/\$100	N/A
	Special Olympics Golf Practice for State	78914	Begins 8/9	\$20/\$25	N/A
	HISRA Health Club	78891	Begins 5/4	\$55/\$70	N/A
	Special Olympics Softball	78915	Begins 5/16	\$40/\$50	N/A
	Special Olympics Softball Practice for State	78917	Begins 8/1	\$20/\$25	N/A
	Special Olympics Bowling	78908	Begins 6/19	\$60/\$75	N/A
	Special Olympics Bowling Practice for Sectionals	78909	Begins 9/11	\$20/\$25	N/A
	Special Olympics Bowling Practice for State	78910	Begins 10/23	\$20/\$25	N/A
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## HISRA Summer 2017 REGISTRATION FORM (page 2 of 2)

#### **1. PARTICIPANT INFORMATION**

Full Name of Participant:				
Birthdate: / /	Age:	Male/Fen	nale (CIRCLE ONE)	
Mailing Address (program info & rec	ceipts sent will be sent here):			
Street:				
City:		State:	ZIP:	
Phone:				
Disability:				
Legal Guardian Full Name:				
Legal Guardian Phone:				
Contact in case of program change:	Name:	Ph	one:	
Would you like to enroll in HISRA's	s texting service? (Available soon	) 🛛 No thanks	Tyes!	
Name:	Cell Phone #:			

Once our texting service is active, you will receive a welcome text with more information! Please note that carrier charges may apply.

#### All registrations must be signed and accompanied by payment in order to be processed.

#### 2. WAIVER (MUST be signed for participation)

As a participant, I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury and I agree to assume the full risk of any injuries, including death, damages, or loss which I may sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with or associated with such program. I agree to waive and relinquish all claims I may have as a result of participating in the program against the Heart of Illinois Special Recreation Association and its officers, agents, servants, and employees. I do hereby fully release and discharge the Heart of Illinois Special Recreation Association and its officers, agents, servants, and employees from any and all claims from injuries, including death, damage, or loss which I may have or which may accrue to me on account of my participation in the program. I further understand and agree that the terms such as "participating," "programs," and "activities," referred to in the Agreement, include all exercises and physical movements of any nature while I am participating in these programs and further include the provision of or failure to provide proper instructions or supervision, the use and adjustment of any and all machinery, equipment, and apparatus, and anything related to my use of the services, facilities, or premises involved in these programs, and transportation to and from any events. I authorize HISRA staff to dispense prescribed medications in their original container or accompanied by a copy of a signed prescription to me/my child.

I understand the nature of these programs for which I am registering, and fully understand this Waiver, Release, and Hold Harmless Agreement. I further understand that any advisements or warnings of the particular risks of these programs that I subsequently receive will be incorporated by reference into and become a part of this Agreement. Additionally, in order that the Heart of Illinois Special Recreation Association may better serve the interests of myself/my child, I hereby grant permission for Special Recreation staff to access relevant education and/or medical records. I hereby consent to the use of my/my child's photograph in the Heart of Illinois SRA brochures, publications, or promotional materials.

DON'T FORGET!

HISRA

Signature of Legal Guardian

Requesting Scholarship

□ Payment Plan for balances over \$200

Third-Party Payor

Please contact HISRA if scholarship funds are needed.

Please contact HISRA if payment plan options are needed.

Date

#### **3. PAYMENT**

- Check
- Cash
- Credit Card

Please call HISRA at 691-1929 with credit card info.

#### 4. RETURN WITH PAYMENT TO:

8727 N. Pioneer Rd. Peoria, IL 61615

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#### Katie Hogan Van Cleve, Executive Director



Katie has focused her career serving individuals with disabilities for more than 20 years, working as HISRA's Executive Director since 2002. She has overseen the addition of two park districts to HISRA's service area; the creation

of the Peoria Wildcats wheelchair basketball team; and has been instrumental in the Access the Experience event run in conjunction with the IHSA March Madness Experience. Katie has dual degrees in psychology and social work with a minor in political science from Bradley University. She lives in Peoria with her husband and daughter.

#### Amy Cundiff, Project Manager



Amy has a Master's Degree in Human Development Counseling and has been working in the human services field in one capacity or another for more than 15 years, including being a part of the HISRA

management team between 2002-2005. Her current role as includes facilitating special projects. Amy lives near Peoria with her husband and two children.

#### Meghan Ferguson, CTRS, Program Coordinator



Meghan joined the HISRA team in December 2014 as a Program Coordinator. She graduated from Illinois State University with a degree in Therapeutic Recreation. Meghan coordinates Night and Weekend Programs along with

Camp Free to Be and Special Olympic Athletics here at HISRA. She currently resides in Peoria.

#### Sioban Stahl, Program Coordinator



Sioban coordinates portions of HISRA's night and weekend programing, Special Olympics Athletics, as well as summer camps. She graduated from Monmouth College in 2013, with dual degrees in both Psychology and

Physical Education. After beginning her career in Special Recreation in Chicago, she relocated to the Peoria area in late 2014 once joining the HISRA team.

#### Ashlynn Busler, Administrative Assistant



After working with various HISRA programs, Ashlynn joined the organization as its Administrative Assistant in 2015. She became the full time Administrative Assistant/ Coordinator of Business Services in September

2016 and oversees registration and billing. She graduated with a Bachelor's degree from Monmouth College in 2015.

## **HISRA BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

The Board meets at HISRA on the third Wednesday of each month at 5:15 p.m. Meetings are open to the public.

Kory Brown
Kevin Yates
Joel Dickerson
Holly Olden Morton
Tim Cassidy Peoria
Jim Hancock
Brian Tibbs
Lorelei Cox

## HISRA FREQUENTLY USED PROGRAM LOCATIONS

- Christian Center (Peoria)
  4100 N. Brandywine Dr. 685-4218
- EastSide Center (East Peoria) 1 EastSide Dr. • 698-5437
- Franciscan Recreation Complex (W. Peoria) 908 N. Sterling Ave • 677-6705
- Freedom Hall (Morton) 349 W. Birchwood St. • 263-7429
- Glen Oak Park (Peoria)
  intersection of Prospect & McClure
- Golf Learning Center & Academy (Peoria)
  7815 N. Radnor Rd. 690-7162
- Kellogg Golf Course (Peoria)
  7716 N. Radnor Rd. 691-0293
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